UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant:

Geun-Young YEOM et al.

Title:

LAYER-BY-LAYER ETCHING APPARATUS USING NEUTRAL BEAM

AND METHOD OF ETCHING USING THE SAME

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BRIEF ON APPEAL

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1. **REAL PARTY IN INTEREST**

The real party in interest is the assignee of record, Sungkyunkwan University.

2. **RELATED APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

There are no related Appeals or Interferences.

3. **STATUS OF CLAIMS**

Claims 1, 4-7 and 17-18 are pending. Claims 2-3, 8-16 and 19-21 are cancelled. Claim 4 is withdrawn from consideration. Claims 1, 5-7 and 17-18 are rejected, and are the subject of this appeal.

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REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a refund of \$340.00 for the Brief on Appeal fee that was paid by check on October 26, 2004.

The above-identified application was allowed on November 22, 2004, less than one month after the filing of the Brief on Appeal. The Brief on Appeal was not actually presented to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. Therefore, a refund is proper and Applicant respectfully requests that a credit of \$340.00 be made to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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